

General Assembly

Amendment

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Offered by:

REP. HAMZY, 78th Dist.

To: Subst. Senate Bill No. 1333

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"AN ACT CONCERNING WAIVERS OF DEADLINES FOR CERTAIN PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION APPLICANTS AND VALIDATION OF THE TOWN OF GREENWICH'S REVALUATION."

- 1 After line 197, insert the following:
- 2 "Sec. 11. Section 21-37 of the general statutes is repealed and the
- 3 following is substituted in lieu thereof:
- 4 Any town may make reasonable ordinances with reference to the
- 5 vending or hawking upon its public streets or upon any state highway,
- 6 except limited access highways, within such town or any land abutting
- 7 such streets or highways of any goods, wares or other merchandise at
- 8 public or private sale or auction, or to the vending or peddling of such
- 9 articles from house to house within its limits, including the imposition
- of a fee, not exceeding two hundred dollars a year, applicable with
- 11 respect to any person engaged in such vending, hawking or peddling,
- 12 for the privilege of so vending, hawking or peddling such
- 13 merchandise. Any resident veteran who qualifies under section 21-30
- 14 <u>shall not be required to pay such fee.</u> Any ordinance adopted pursuant

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to this section which requires a permit may require that no such permit shall be issued to any person who has not obtained a permit to engage in or transact business as a seller within the state in accordance with section 12-409 and shall require that any permit issued pursuant to such ordinance shall be conspicuously displayed at the place the activities are undertaken. Such ordinances may provide that the authority issuing such permit may waive the permit fee for a nonprofit organization exempt from federal taxation by Section 501 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, or any subsequent corresponding internal revenue code of the United States, as from time to time amended, or a charitable organization. This section shall not apply to sales by farmers and gardeners of the produce of their farms, gardens and greenhouses, including fruit, vegetables and flowers, or to the sale, distribution and delivery of milk, teas, coffees, spices, groceries, meats and bakery goods, to sales on approval, to conditional sales of merchandise, or to the taking of orders for merchandise for future delivery when full payment is not required at the time of solicitation. Nothing in this section shall be construed to limit in any manner the Commissioner of Transportation's statutory authority concerning state highways. Nothing in this section shall be construed as empowering any municipality to prohibit, regulate, control or impose a fee on any person operating any business on any state highway or land abutting any state highway pursuant to a contract with the state."

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